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For: METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR  
LOADING ARTILLERY PIECES BY MEANS  
OF FLICK RAMMING

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)**

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December 8, 2003

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated October 8, 2003 (Paper No. 12), finally rejecting claims 21, 23-25 and 27, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

**NO FEES ARE BELIEVED TO BE DUE WITH THIS AMENDMENT.**